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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
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Tomohiro ISHIHARA, et al. :
Serial No.: 10/035,330 : Group Art Unit: 1731
Filed: January 04, 2002 : Examiner:
For: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR DRAWING OPTICAL FIBER

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE
OF MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

Box Missing Parts
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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Missing Parts of Application dated February 19, 2002,
submitted herewith are the following documents for filing in the above-referenced application:

1. Statutory Basic filing fee of \$740.00
2. Late Filing Fee Surcharge of \$130.00

Please charge Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$870.00. To the extent
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